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JUSTICE JOHN H. O'DONNELL

SUPREME JUDGE CLABAUGH

Appoints Him to Succeed Justice A. S. Taylor —An Appointment That Meets Popular Approval.

The appointment of Justiee of the Peace John H. O'Donnell on the bench of the Police Court to succeed Justice A. S. Taylor was no doubt a surprise to the members of the local bar. Justice O'Donnell is one of the most successful members of the bar and Justices of the Peace in the District of Columbia and he is a young man comparatively speaking and a man fully qualified for the position to which he has been appointed. While much regret is manifested at the retirement of Justice Taylor, and since a change is made, no appointment has met with more universal approval than that of Mr. O'Donnell. He is a deserving man and one who should have been appointed long ago. He is a humanitarian as well as a man of a broad and liberal heart. THE BEE is confident that Justice O'Donnell will not be persuaded by prejudice nor will he be actuated by malace. Such men are seldom appointed on the bench but this time Judge Clabaugh has selected a man of the people and popular wherever he is known. Justice O'Donnell will relieve one of the Judges of either bench of the Police Court in sickness or death or during summer vacation. One excellent characteristic of Justice O'Donnell, is that he knows no man by the color of his skin. Neither does he know a man by his riches. All men are equal with him and instead of looking for the guilt of a defendant, he will presume that he is innocent until he is proved guilty.

Accept Justice O'Donnell a sip of honey from THE BEE.

MEMORAL EXERCISES.

In Memory of David Bowser—Eloquent and Pathetic Speeches—The Church Was Crowded.

The first annual Grand Lodge Memorial exercises were held under the auspices of the Executive Committe of D. G. L. No. 20, G. U. O. of O. F., Sunday afternoon last at Zion Baptist Church, F st., s. w.

The exercises were held in honor of the life and character of David B. Bowser, of Pennsylvania and Benjamin T. Thornton of Indiana, late members of the sub-committee of management and of the members of the subordinate lodges in the District of Colnmbia who died during the year ending September 15, 1900.

District Grand Master, W. C. Martin presided Among those seated on the rostrum were Deputy Districs Grand Master, W. H. Rose; District Grand Secretary C. B. Walker; District Grand Treasurer, T. W. West; District Grand Director R. H. Williams. M. V. P., John A. Simms the first District Master in this jurisdiction and the members of the two committees on condolence.

The program commenced with a funeral march by Prof. R. J. Daniels organist. Called to order by the District Grand Master. While the organist rendered "We Shall Meet," softly the Grand Secretary call the roll of lodges, and as each of the thirty-three members passed a vacant draped chair on the chancel, the secretary would announce the name of the deceased member. These vacant draped chairs around the channel represented the thirty-three deceased member of the local subordinate lodges and the two, placed on the rostum, one on either side of the Grand Master represented the two late members of the S. C. of M. At the completion of the roll call, the church choir, Prof. E. W. Scott, director, sang touchingly, "The Dead Shall Rise Again," invocation by the District Grand Chaplain A. A. Payne, singing by choir and audience (standing.) After appropriate remarks by the Grand Master, David Warner, M. V. P., and Abram Hayson, P. N. F., chairman of the committees on condolence presented the resolutions which were, hear the conclusion of the program adopted. The choir and audience then rose and sang, "While With Ceaseless Course," and for two minutes after the last strains of the solemn music had faded away the members of the order remained standing with bowed heads and profound silence.

Brief eulogistic addresses were made by P. N. F., J. D. Baltimore, P. N. F., W. A. Wells, Sr., W. V. P., J. B. Askins; M. V. P., W. L. Houston, M. V. P. S. W. Watson, P. N. F., W. B. Harris, M. V. P., Geo. W. McKenzie and P. N. F., E. E. Ricks. The solo by P. N. F., E. W. Burnett, was acceptably rendered. The Grand Master introduced M. V. P., John A. Simms of John F. Cook's Lodge No. 1185 and M. V. P., J. F. N. Wilkinson of Eastern Star Lodge 1028 as being the oldest Oddfellows in the District of Columbia. At the conclusion of the program the choir and audience rose, and sang "God Be With You Till We Meet Again." M. V. P., W. J. Howard pas-pastor pronouncing the benediction. Throughout the exercises were solemn and impressive, and District Grand Master Martin and the Executive Committee were beautifully congratulated for the excellent arrangement of the program. Committee on condolence for deceased members of the S. C. of M.: David Warner, chairman, Peter Ogden Ledge N. 1374. W. J. Howard, Rising Sun Lodge No. 1365 J. F. N. Wilkinson, Eastern Star Lodge No. 1028. D. B. Webster, Green Mountain Lodge No. 1477. D. A. Clarke, Bloom of youth Lodge No. 1368.

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Hereafter Grand Lodge Memorial services will be held on Sunday immediately following the first meeting of the District Grand Lodge.

CAUGHT IN BEAR TRAP.

Awful Experience of a Hunter Who Was Nearly Frozen When Rescued by His Brother.

The San Rafael (Cal.) correspondent of the New York Journal says that, caught in the tooth-shod jaws of a bear trap, Ray Hollis battled with the storm and what seemed certain death on the steep hills back of Chileno valley all night. When found by his brother he was almost unconscious and his leg was terribly lacerated.

Last week a large panther had been seen in the locality and Hollister set a bear trap on the trail on the ridge where its tracks had been found.

CAUGHT IN THE TRAP.

Late Tuesday afternoon he went to inspect his trap, but was unable to locate it. He hunted around for it until dark, and, as it was raining hard, started for home, having given up his quest. Suddenly he was thrown to the ground and the giant jaws of the trap had fastened their teeth into his leg. He had stumbled upon it in the darkness.

At first he tried to open the trap, but the two heavy springs defied his efforts. Sawing at them with his pocketknife produced no results. Hollis next removed the heavy chain and drag which were fastened to the trap and commenced to crawl toward home through the storm. At intervals he discharged his rifle to call assistance, but its reports were drowned in the noise of the gale.

The unfortunate man went from one faint to another and at last was unable to drag himself along. In the morning he was found under the shadow of a small oak tree beside the trail by his brother, William Hollis. For some time it was feared the injured man would die from the exposure, but he has survived and his leg may be saved.

Getting Things Slightly Mixed.

A certain minister in Denver occasionally plays havoc with his words. In closing a very impressive sermon on "Death," he said: "Ere long we will be called upon to shuffle off this cortal moil; or, I should say, muffle off this—that is, cuffle off this shortal—pardon me: shuffle off this corl—(Ahem!) Let us rise and sing the Doxology."

Like Their Parrots Boiled.

Boiled parrot is considered a luxury by the Mexicans.

TO DISFRANCHISE THE NEGRO

Food for Democratic Negroes—The move Unpopular in the State

Maryland Democratic leaders are urging upon Gov. Smith to convene the legislature in extra session with the avowed purpose of amending the election law in so far as it relates to the form of ballot to be used and, by taking away the emblems, practically provide for an educational qualification Former Senator Gorman is heartily in favor of an extra session, but Gov. Smith has not yet indicated whether he will comply or refuse, Those nearest him say he must first be assured that the necessary number of votes will be forthcoming before issuing the call. There are fifteen Democratic senators, and fourteen votes are needed to pass the bill. Senator Claggett, of Prince George, one of the Democrats, is physically incapable of attending a session, so that there is not a vote to spare.

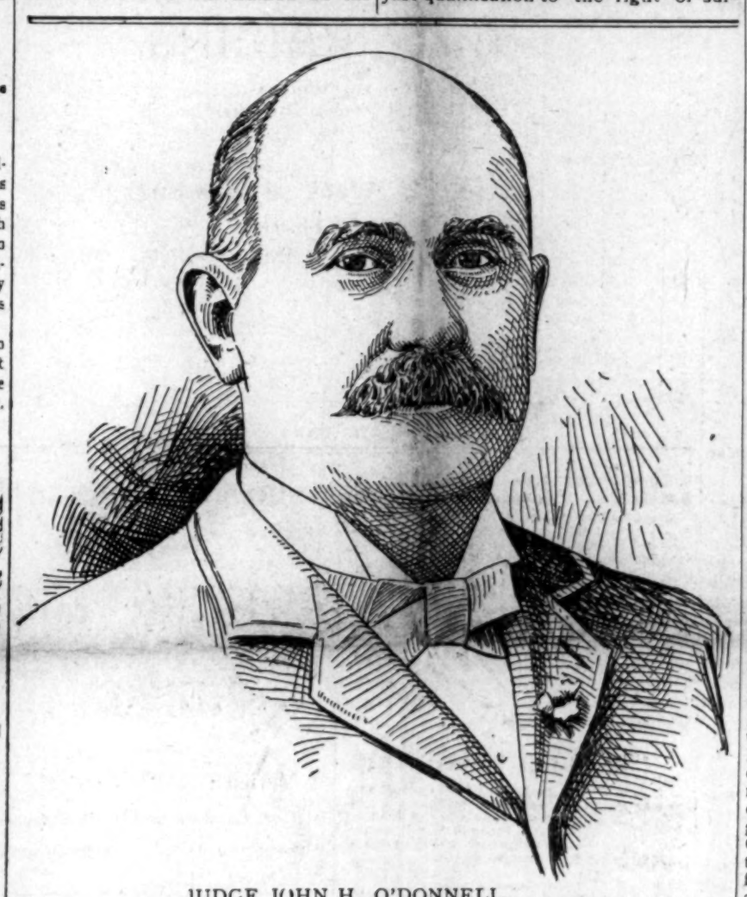
All of the senators have been called upon and expressed their views. The two for Baltimore City, Messrs Moses and Bryan are the only ones considered doubtful, and these to-day expressed themselves in favor of such a measure, provided it is made to apply to all illiterates. That is to say, it must be a pure Australian ballot. There are to be no emblem and no uniformity, the list of Democratic candidates being printed in different columns. Senator Moses is a regular organization Democrat, but has views of his own. Senator Bryan is now assistant city solicitor, and a very warm supporter of Mayor Hayes.

MAYOR HAYES OPPOSES SCHEME.

To-day the mayor launched a bomb by declaring himself opposed to an extra session, and the wiseacres at once concluded that Bryan, too, was out of it. The inference is that the mayor's opposition was due to a fear that the legislature once in session would amend the city charter and deprive him of authority. It is understood, however, that he will not object if a pledge is given that there will be no interference with the charter, and hence Mr. Bryan declared to-night he would vote for a bill framed on the lines of the act in force in Massachusetts, the conclnsion being reached that he would agree to disfranchise illiterates if the desired pledge is given the mayor. A number of whites would also be affected and many of those are Democrats.

The extra session is regarded as necessary by Democrats, who regard their chances as nopeless next fall unless the negro is disfranchised. A legislature is then to be elected, which will name Senator Wellington's successor, and Mr. Gorman is understood to be the choice of the Democrats in case the Democrats win.

Some of the leaders insist that an extra session must be called. Should the disfranchisement of the negro follow, it is the intention of the Maryland members of Congress to help push through at the next session a bill limiting the representation to the voting population. They worked against the Olmsted resolution in Congress last week, preferring to use this as a club over the heads of the Democrats in the State.



JUDGE JOHN H. O'DONNELL.
He Succeeds Justice Taylor on the Bench of the Police Court.

New Cure for Spiritualism.

A Minneapolis widow fitted up a room in her house, where for months she nightly communed—or thought she did—with the spirit of her dead husband. Then a dashing young physician laid siege to her heart. Among other good advice, he said to her: "It is your duty, Emma, to turn your attention from the dead and seek happiness with the living." The spirit chamber has been dismantled, and the widow will soon be cheered by a living husband.

Just a Word of Caution.

The thoughtful mother of a little Chicago boy sent the following note with him to his school-teacher: "Miss Fitzgerald: Adolph swallowed a brass padlock last night, and if he has any pain in school this morning as a result, will you please excuse him, and oblige his mother."

JUDGE SPEER ON NEGRO QUESTION.

Would Deny Right of Suffrage to the Illiterate of Both Races.

Atlanta, Ga.,—The annual banquet of the Chi Pi Fraternity was held here tonight. Prominent members of the society were present from many sections. Judge Emory Speer, of the United States District Court, was the principal speaker His subject was the "Student in Politics."

Judge Speer condemned sectionalism, and spoke of the position of the South as it is today in national politics. He said in part:

Eternally must we strive until we regain the high plane of normal constitutional American politics. We can estimate the intellectual and political degenercy which is threatened to the youth of these Southern States by habitual departure from that lofty principle, the sovereignty of the individual voter, which is the basis of American government.

"What sentient Georgian was there who did not blush with shame when a delegate from this State arose in a recent national convention and avowed that he came from a State which would support any candidate the convention might choose, nominated upon any platform the convention might adopt.

"What, t en, is the one thing needful to restore and make permanent normal political methods in the Southern States? It is a vital inquiry. For nearly a third of a century the white men of the South have surrendered their political convictions for fear of the spook of negro domination. The negro will never dominate the white man. Great harm has been done when unscrupulous men have used the votes of ignorant or corruptible members of the race in municipal or other local elections. There the danger lies.

"But concede that negro domination is a real and not an imaginary portent. The easy and the obvious remedy is at hand. We have but to adopt a fair and just qualification to the right of suffrage and honestly enforce the same with equal hand. Then we will witness the disappearance from our system of the ignorant, unworthy, and corruptible voter, black and white as well. We should resort to no questionable expedient. We should accord to ignorance or worthlessness of whatever color no hereditary right to the privileges of the elector."

Earl's Etchings

Resolutions for the New Year are in order Don't delay.

Miss Virgie oss has been appointed a teacher in the public schools.

Miss Virginia Brown, of 40 D st., s. e., spent the holidays at Winston, N. C.

Mr. Otavins Williams, of 338 Spruce street, has a severe attack of the rheumatism.

Miss Ridley, of Media, Pa., is spending the week with some friends in Corcoran street.

Mr. George Richardson, Jr., is taking a course in dentistry at the Howard Medical School.

Mrs. Deaver, of Baltimore, Md., was the guest of Miss May Russell a few days last week.

Mrs. Annie Walker, the celebrated portrait artist, is sick at her residence 403 N street, n. w.

Miss Hardenia Lewis, of Petersburg, Va., is visiting Mrs. Henry Lewis of 1126 G street, n. e.

Mr. Eugene Gregory, a teacher in the Washington High School, spent Christmas week at Bordentown, New Jersey.

Miss Elvia Robinson, one of Washington's fashionable dress makers, has just recovered from a severe attack of the La Grippe.

Mr. C. H. Stokes, an employee of the House of Representatives, has returned from Plainfield, N. J., where the Yule tide was very pleasantly observed.

There is a rumor current that Mr. Mansfield Adams, the popular attache of Kahn's well known Jewerly establishment was quietly married in the city of Baltimore last week.

Manager Stair of the Academy of Music is not tainted with that local whim better known as "Colonization." Colored patrons are given very fair attention and have healtny locations throughout every performance.

The Washington *Post* of Sunday, December 30, smiles at the idea that Maxima Gomez is a leader in Cuban affairs. Nevertheless, he is and fully capable of performing the duties entailed to him.

A bill, pending in Congress provides for five judges who are to preside over courts in the Philippines and Porto Rico and said officers to receive annual salaries of $20.000. There will al o be five messengers at $1,000 per annum. The power of appointment is vested in the President. As the compensation is unusually large the very best material can be selected.

Miss Minnie A. Lucas of 332 Spruce Street, n. w., met with rather a peculiar accident New Years morning. While hanging curtains in the front room, her foot slipped and she fell to the floor, smashing a large-size window pane from which slight injuries were sustain. It was found necessary to call in medical aid.

In the city of Philadelphia last week, at the annual convention of the modern Language Association, scholarly papers were read by Prof. W. S. Scarborough of Wilberforce University, Xenie, O., and Prof. John W. Filbert of Augusta, Ga., colored members of this estimable caucus. These gentlemen are enthusiastic students of Greek archeology and have studied extensively abroad. During the present session of the Congress. Prof. Scarborough has read two papers on Greek subjects. The first of these entitled, "Iphigeuia in Eurpides, Racine and Goethe," was read before the American Philological Association on Thursday morning, and the other "Observations on the Topograhy of Sphakteria and Pylos as described by Thucydides Book IV," was read the next morning. Prof. Scarborough is emphatically one of the most learned men the race has ever produced and today stands the peer of Longfellow, Lowell, Ruskin and others of similar type.

Another fine volume, the Nineteenth in number has just been accorded by the Librarian Time. That it is the best and the greatest, no one stops to doubt. In every walk, whether professional or merchanticle, labor has been electrified by pure mechanical beauty, municipality upon municipality have been erected; city after city modernized, and all because of the brilliantly perfected strides made from scientific research during the past hundred years. For this no apology is necessary. It only shows that human efforts is its own architect and still remains the survival of the fittest. Taking a careful review of what has been done, there is much marvel and consideration. Some may be attracted by the rapid growth of surgical treatment; others by the useful commodities of electricity. Looking farther into the back ground the most important moral movement however, was the "Abolition of Slavery." The age was too wise and could not stand this damnable curse any longer. This fact might remind you of that gloomy epoch which followed, "The Civil War." Though a little more than thirty-five years ago, there are few yet who remember its draperies and tell feelingly their experiences. To itimize further would be nonsense. Approaching the threshold of the rising Century, the torchlight of her new birth bursts into a beautiful glimmer of confidence and Progress, angelic to the last, awaits to welcome her and bid her "God's Speed" to the future.

HAD A SURE THING.

California Law Student's Logic Was Good, But Showed a Sad Lack of Reverence.

If Chief Justice McFarland, of the California supreme court, were a betting man he would doubtless be willing to risk a small wager that a certain law student will some day make his mark. The youngster had just taken the law examination and had failed. Said Justice McFarland, by way of consolation:

"It is really too bad that you could not have been admitted to the bar after your first trial, but then, you know, the brightest men often fail the first examination."

"Thank you, sir," replied the would-be lawyer. "I failed this time, but I feel cock sure that I can make it on my second try."

"Your confidence is commendable," replied the justice, "but it is not well to

"WHAT MAKES YOU SO SURE?"

be overconfident. What makes you so sure?"

"Well, I know that I have tried once and failed. Now if the supreme court has decided once that I am not bright enough to practice law it's a pretty sure sign that the second trial will pass me, for who ever heard of the supreme court having rendered the same decision twice?"

A ROW IN NEGRO SOCIETY.

COSMOS CLUB VS. THE CITIZENS CLUB.

Two Negro Inaugural Balls—The Would be Four Hundred Charges and Counter Charges.

There is a row in the colored society among the would be four hundreds. It has always been the custom, for the last eight years among the colored contingents of this city to give an inaugural ball for the entertainment of strangers. At the head of this committee was Mr. Daniel Murray. This gentleman would spare neither pains nor experience to make the affair first class, The last inaugural ball that was given, under the auspices of the Citizens Committee, so it is said, attempts were made by some to charge the committee for personal services. Indeed, there were several dozen tickets sold by some one, in Baltimore, Md., to people there who were told to present themselves at the door on the evening of the entertainment and they would be admitted. Mr. Daniel Murray caught on to the racket and compelled those who had collected the money to show down. This has been an eating cancer in the minds of some, so efforts were made to defeat Mr. Murray this time which was not successful. Another local organization called the Cosmos Club issued cards to certain citizens to meet and give an inaugural ball This club claimed to represent the negro four hundred of Washington, but, upon investigation it doesn't represent a negro ten to let alone a negro four hundred. Its members claimed to have great influence. Some of them are school teachers, letter carriers. etc. Those individuals thought themselves too good to associate with colored messengers and printers, who by the way have more influence in the community than they have. At a meeting held by the club some time ago a very distinguished young man in the Pension office presented the name of a well known clerk in the same department and his wife, who was formerly a school teacher of high standing. They were questioned by a Cosmos member and a school teacher who has recently sprung up in this community and who is to-day being paid from the taxes of this ladie's property or at least part of his salary at any rate. This Cosmos member, when this name was presented remarked that he never saw this gentleman and his wife around in the society in which he circled, that he met him at a ten cent dance, where he was and no one seemed to notice him. So indignant was this gentleman who presented those names of the two well known citizens, that he withdrew their names and said that he would not permit his friends to be so insulted by a man of so little influence in the city. The parties in question are two of the best known citizens in Washington and their objector is a man who was formerly a resident in the South and by accident or more from pity, he was given a place in the colored schools of this city and if he was turned out of the schools to-day it is a question whether he could exist.

The honorary membership of the Cosmos Club, without a few exceptions is all that is to the club. On the other hand the Citizens Welcome Club is composed of men representing every state in the Union. A gentleman remarked the other day that it is amusing to hear Negroes in Washington talking about their birth and representing the four hundred.

The next thing certain colored people wanted was a colored inaugural Committee which doesn't meet the approval of the people. Of course the national Chairman was asked to give such a committee by certain colored men and women. There were few other outside negroes objected to certain men being chairmen and indeed objected to certain colored men going on this negro committee and when they were asked their reason a certain speckled face colored man informed the chairman that certain other colored men didn't represent the best people. Whom do you represent asked the chairman to the South Carolina individual, "O! I represent the best people." O! said the chairman, who had better talk to Mr. Murray. About that other medlesome negro he went so far as to tell Chairman Edson that the Citizens Welcome Club, intended to give an inaugural ball March 4th to conflict with the presidental inugural ball. If these are the kind of negroes they have in the South, no wonder the people are glad to get rid of them.

This city is the dumping ground for such animals.

TWENTIETH CENTURY WOMAN.

She is Much More Fortunate Than Were Any of Her Predecessors.

"We are twentieth century women at last, with the dower of privilege and responsibility which enriches woman in this wonderful era, and I have no hesitation in declaring that we are more fortunate than any of our predecessors," writes Margaret E. Sangster, in the January Ladies' Home Journal. "Our grandmothers and great-grandmothers were handicapped in their girlhood by a thousand prejudices and cast-iron traditional rules, from which we are emancipated. They had neither our wide field of activity nor our possibility of thorough preparation for life; they had not our strong health nor our immunity from nervous irritation. The heroines of the past took cold if exposed to a shower; they could not walk over a frosty meadow because of their thin kid shoes, and came into the house muddy and bedraggled after a morning's tramp, which we would take without the slightest inconvenience in our short skirts and thick boots."

THEY SAY—

A happy New Year to all.

Let us make new vows.

Improve your condition.

Be truthful durin the whole year.

Let us hope for better days.

Let the politicians put up new fences.

Liars should take a back seat.

The South Carolina blackguard who claims to represent the better people doesn't know who his father was.

You may judge the rest and decide whether he represents the better people.

Be what you seem to be and nothing more.

Be cheerful and do your duty

Don't forsake your old friends during the New Year.

The world is on the move.

The colored man has a burden.

He must do his duty towards his fellow man.

In speaking of your friends speak kindly of them.

The man who speaks the truth is bound to succeed.

THE BEE for 1901 will be an up to date journal.

When you know what you are talking about speak out.

A brave man is a good man.

But all good men are not brave.

The slanderer of the 20th century will be checked.

Great events will happen this century.

THE BEE leads and all others follow.

Don't be disappointed at any thing.

Accidents will happen so will events.

Is there a colored 400 in any city?

When some people set themselves up as leaders of society they ought to die.

The moderate man is the progressive man.

Weakness some times will show itself.

Last year was one of prosperity.

The democratic party is a thing of the past.

There are 100 applicants for the office of recorder of deeds.

Do your duty this year and be sincere to your fellow men.

Read THE BEE if you want the truth.

Who is the thing that told Mr. Edson that it represented the best people.

Nothing but a thing could have said such a thing.

Things will crawl where it is not wanted.

Some things are dangerous when they get under your clothes.

This was one of the things that failed to get under before he was killed.

Clean people keep clear of things

Do as you are directed from those who have authority to direct.

Speak kindly of those who ill treat you.

When you know what is going on be silent.

A still tongue makes a wise man.

From nothing, nothing comes.

So it was with the thing that saw Mr. Edson.

The democratic party in this city is divided.

Bryan would receive a cordial reception if he came through the city now.

All this world is a stage and the people are merely players.

Don't be alarmed when you hear a dog bark.

You will always find a firm endeavoring to be classed as one of the 400.

A gentleman takes the world as he fi it.

It is the suspicious character that doubts everybody's honesty.

An honest man or woman believes every body is honest.

The libertine will talk about a virgin and applaud a thief.

SMALL MACHINE GUNS.

Novel Idea for the Protection of Soldiers Who Use Them Under Fire from the Enemy.

In the picture is shown a rather novel idea of protecting soldiers under fire from the enemy, the apparatus being intended primarily for use in operating the small machine guns which are much in use in the modern army. The principal part of the apparatus is the steel shield, which is mounted on the single axle and provided with a number of port holes, through which either machine or hand guns may be operated. Behind the shield is shown a seat for the men, who are thus enabled to go into action in small numbers without the danger of being entirely exterminated by the enemy before their guns can be brought into action. One peculiarity about the apparatus is the method of transporting it on the battlefield without extreme danger to horse

PROTECTING A GUN SQUAD.
(Novel Idea for Protecting Soldiers Under Fire from an Enemy.)

or driver. Projecting from the rear of the carriage are a pair of long thills, which end in a cross piece, to which the whiffletree is attached, enabling horse and rider to follow the carriage instead of going before it, and provision is also made for reversing the animal to draw the carriage from the field with the same degree of safety. The patentee of this shield, says the Chicago Daily News, is Adrian Hitt, of Jersey City, N. J.

POTHUNTER'S SCHEME.

Caught Ducks with Hooks, But Quarry Flew Away with Line and Can't Be Taken.

The Chicago Chronicle asserts that South Evanston duck hunters and lovers of fair sport are looking with guns for the man who baited a long line and set it on the lake front to catch ducks or geese when they came ashore at night not long ago. Men acquainted with the habits of game birds around the lake declare that they roost on the shore during the night to rest, and the following story is said to be true:

Some one aware of the habits of the lake geese set a long line with over 50 hooks fastened to it along the shore, anchored to a stick driven into the sand. Every hook was baited and the line extending along the shore for several hundred feet left for its

MEAN HUNTING TRICK.

prey about 11 o'clock at night, while the hunter retired to the bluff to watch for prisoners. It is asserted that during the night so many birds were caught on the hooks that they succeeded in pulling the stick from the sand and all the imprisoned ducks flew away into the lake for nearly a mile. In the morning they were seen swimming around, all fastened together with the line and suffering severe torture, as the hooks invariably stick in the birds' throats. An attempt was made to go after them, but the heavy sea prevented the capture. Experts say the birds will all die, as release from the hooks is impossible.

Proof.

"Did you say that trusts were the means of raising wages?"

"Certainly," answered Senator Sorghum. "I know the president of a combination who has raised his salary four times in the last two years."—Washington Star.

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It is one of the most exciting and exhilarating sports known, says the Chicago Chronicle, and its popularity and the enthusiasm of its devotees are easily understood even by those who have never become inoculated with the craze for these spins over the ice. The danger of serious disaster increases the excitement, and in the cases of most yachtsmen adds to rather than detracts from the pleasure of the runs before the wind. Time and again fatal accidents have attended ice-boating, but these have had no more effect in quenching the eagerness for the boating than have the killings in football affected the popularity of that game.

At nearly every point where ice-yachting is indulged in at all there are races between the various boats every year, and rivalry between ice yachts

WESTERN ICE YACHT.
(Sailing Them Is One of the Popular Sports of the Day.)

gets to be quite as keen as it does between the boats which cut the water. Racing almost invariably increases the danger of the sport, and during the season there are usually many catastrophes resulting in serious and fatal injuries to the boaters. While flying over the ice driven by mile-a-minute gales the racers are often dashed together and smashed into splinters, or perhaps they strike a stick protruding above the surface of the ice and meet with an equally serious mishap. But the genuine ice sportsmen say that yachting without racing would be like a Thanksgiving dinner without the turkey, and that the racing is the only feature of the sport worthy of any consideration whatever.

There are numerous lakes not far from Chicago where ice-boating is very popular. Lake Winnebago, a short distance up in Wisconsin, is one where the sport is indulged in most extensively. Up there big preparations are under way for the ice-yachting season, and indications are that more general interest in the sport will be taken than in any year of the past. This is indicated by the fact that with the new boats that are to be built Fond du Lac will have between 30 and 40 boats in the field to contest for championship honors.

Within a few days Commodore H. C. Dittmar and Secretary C. E. Broughton, of the Winnebago Ice-Yatching association, will call a meeting of the association to be held in Oshkosh at which meeting arrangements for championship races will be made. The schedule will provide that the contests be held off Neenah, Menasha, Oshkosh and Fond du Lac. All these cities hold memberships in the association. The handsome silver cups for first and second-class yachts put up by the Evening Wisconsin of Milwaukee will be the trophies sailed for again this year. They are now held by Oshkosh boats.

She Tested the Report.

The Oskaloosa (Kan.) Independent recently reported a former citizen, Dr. W. H. Ridgeway, as dead at Topeka, whereupon the dead man wrote and said: "I went home and told my wife I was dead, and produced the copy of your paper as proof. While she is a good woman, and all that, she thinks your paper lied. And she showed the courage of her convictions by making me carry in a lot of coal and water. So, Mr. Editor, I may say that I am not dead, but I am mad."

THE FOOTBALL RECORD.

An Itemized Account of the Fatalities and Injuries Reported During the Season.

Nine young men were killed in playing football last fall. Four of them had their spines hurt, two were thrown head first, two were hurt in fierce games for which they had not trained, one broke a blood vessel and one died of blood poisoning from a broken arm which he was trying to hide from his parents.

Eight players were badly hurt, and some of these are expected to die. Among the injuries are a broken neck

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a stamped stomach, concussion of the brain, paralysis and internal injuries from being trampled on or thrown hard while running.

Twenty-two players suffered broken bones. The list includes a finger, an ankle, a knee, a cheek bone, two shoulders, three hands, four legs, five ribs and seven collar bones. The number of sprains, dislocations and bad bruises is legion.

As a result of this record, says the Little Chronicle, there is, as usual at this time of year, a good deal of talk about reforming football. The cities of Omaha and Council Bluffs threaten to stop the game and Chicago has thoughts of forbidding it in high schools. The Wisconsin legislature has been petitioned to suppress the game in that state. However, there seems no likelihood that the favorite college sport will be stopped.

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An illusion produced by an electric arc light gave a Chicago Chinaman a tremendous scare at Wabash avenue and Adams street a few evenings ago. The celestial, says the Chicago Chronicle, was crossing Wabash avenue from the east side of that thoroughfare. His raiment was of the characteristic petticoated type of the new arrivals from the orient. With the awkward, ambling strides of the tightly-shod Mongolian, he wabbled

JOHN WAS FRIGHTENED.
(Suddenly Stopped Short, with Eyes Bulging from Their Slant Sockets.)

over the crossing pavement. When nearly two-thirds of the way across he suddenly stopped short, with eyes bulging from their slant sockets and mouth wide open, in manifest terror. He was gazing wildly at the magnified shadow of a beetle that seemed to be crawling upon the pavement. The real beetle, as a matter of fact, was upon a brace beam of the Union Loop railroad overhead and was less than an inch in length. But under the magnifying power of the arc light the bug's shadow resembled a crawling monster of the centipede variety. This shadow the Chinaman took for the ghost of the long-departed dragon of the Flowery kingdom. He thought the ghost was pursuing him in vengeance for his sins and he started on a wild stampede down Wabash avenue, his abnormally long pigtail waving briskly in the breeze. It was not until he had buried himself in the fastnesses of the South Clark street Chinatown, among his fellow celestials, that he could find breath sufficient to permit him to tell about the cause of his fright. Before he could be reassured Sam Moy and others of the Americanized Chinese colony were sent for to give explanations, which were made in voluble terms that contained much about the magic wonders wrought by 'Melican science and little that was particularly respectful to the memory of the ghost of China's religious dragon.

LIVES IN TREE TRUNK.

An Old Musician's Queer But Cozy Little Home Near Pere Marquette, Wis.

Near Pere Marquette, Wis., an old man named Stears has lived several years in a tree home. Stears was a first-class cabinet-maker, and during the greater part of his vigorous manhood lived in Detroit and worked at his trade, commanding the best wages of any artisan in his line.

Several years ago, says the Chicago Times-Herald, Stears went to Pere Marquette and took up his residence in the hollow trunk of a tree near that town, and he has lived there

MR. STEARS AT HOME.
(Lives in a Tree Trunk Near the Town of Pere Marquette, Wis.)

ever since. The tree was a great linden that has been sawed off about 15 feet from its base, and in it the occupant has brought to bear his accomplishments as a workman to decorate his queer abode artistically. A door and window, seen from the outside, bear witness to this. The inner walls of the strange domicile are ceiled and papered and are covered with pictures. One circular seat extends around the room from door to window; there is on the other side a comfortable pile of furs that make the bed of the old man, and the place is warmed, when warmth is needed, by an oil stove. Mr. Stears plays 15 different musical instruments by note, and with these and books entertains himself and frequent visitors, for he he is by no means a hermit. He has nearly or quite reached the allotted age of man, but seems much younger, and he is in perfect health, or was a few months ago.

CURING A DRUNKARD

A Little Scheme That Was Better Than a Pledge.

How Dr. John Wesley Brown, an Eminent Cleveland Divine, Helped a Man to Give Up the Liquor Habit.

A Cleveland man tells this pathetic and characteristic story of the late Rev. Dr. John Wesley Brown, the incident occurring while he was rector of Trinity church, in that city. The story was told the narrator by the doctor himself, and is repeated in the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

One evening a stranger called at the rectory on Superior street, adjoining the church. He was a well dressed, well appearing man, but evidently in deep trouble.

"Dr. Brown," he said, "I have come to you for advice and assistance. I am a victim of the drink habit. I have an excellent position—I am cashier for a wealthy corporation—and I know I cannot retain it unless I reform. I want you to draw up a pledge for me—make it as strong as you can, please—and I will sign it, and you will witness it."

Dr. Brown leaned back and looked at the man.

"How long have you been drinking to excess?" he asked.

The man told him it was five or six years; ever since he obtained his present position. He only drank to excess when he was with his friends. He never drank at other times. When he was with his friends he would forget himself and overstep the limit. Sometimes he didn't go on a spree for a whole month, but the attacks were growing more frequent. He seemed to be losing his will power.

"My friend," said the doctor, "you don't need a pledge. I see in you a victim of good comradeship. You are far from being an ordinary drunkard. If you signed a temperance pledge and broke it—as you undoubtedly would do—it would still further degrade you in your own eyes. I do not advise the pledge."

The man looked dumfounded.

"But what am I to do?" he gasped.

THE PAPER SAVED HIM.

The doctor drew a card from his desk and rapidly wrote a few lines.

"There," he said, "read that."

This is what the man read:

"To my friends: I find I am becoming a victim of the liquor habit. If I do not quit I am sure to lose my position and ruin myself. For God's sake, don't ask me to drink with you."

"There," said Dr. Brown, "sign that and I will sign it as a witness. All I ask of you is to show the card when temptation is at your elbow, and if you fall come here and tell me about it. There! Good night."

It was a full month before the man returned, worried and dejected.

"I expected you long before this," said the doctor, as he greeted the stranger. "Tell me about it. Did you show the card?"

"Yes," replied the man. "The first time was the very next night after I called on you. A good friend, a railroad man, came into the office and after I had checked up his accounts said: 'Come, Charlie, let's go over to the oyster house and have a drink.' Well, sir, I was reaching for my hat when I remembered the card. I took it out and handed it to him. I thought he would never finish reading it. He looked at me and he looked at the card. And then he slowly put his arm down on the counter and said: Charlie, I'd sooner cut that hand off than ask you to drink again.' Well, sir, I showed that card several times after that, and every blessed man I showed it to took it seriously. Sometimes they said: 'All right, old boy.' Sometimes they laid it down without a word. And then— it was last night—I forgot about it, and here I am."

"You are doing well," said the doctor. "Have courage and try and make the interval a little longer next time."

It was three months before the man came back. The next time it was six months.

"And now," said the doctor to the narrator, "it is nearly two years since his last call, and I have every reason to believe that he will not find it necessary to come to me again. So, you see, I was quite right. It wasn't a pledge that he needed."

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Be Fair.

When ever a proposition, looking to the betterment of the race is being considered, especially when envolving the colored people of the South, there is always some one to step forward to announce that the South is all right and that it is not only cowardly but foolish to think or say otherwise.

It matters not whether the proposition relates to religion, morals, education, politics or emigration, the same sensitiveness is displayed. No one not to the "manner born" can suggest a solution of the race question without calling down the anathemas of certain so-called southern colored leaders. This seems strange when we consider the interest which the leaders seem to take in the race and the alarming facts relating to the moral, social and political condition of the colored people at the South. Every body knows, who know anything, that social conditions at the South are in a very deplorable state. Aside from purely political affairs, which need only be mentioned to be loathed by all fair-minded people, there are other social matters to which the powerful antidote of vigorous renovation must be applied before they can assume even a tolerable degree of justice. The various hateful phases of southern tyranny and intolerance are innumerable, but there are some so hedious and grotesquely un-American in character as to be at once seen.

The domestic relations of the colored people are absolutely ignored by the Southern whites and the institution of the home lacks that respect and protection which obtains among truly civilized communities. This is not because the colored people do not throw around domestic relations all of the sanctity within their power, but it is because the whites do not recognize the home-rights of the colored people as they do their own. This is evident from the positions publicly taken and the statements publicly made by the leading white repsesentatives from the South. Senator Tillman is recorded as saying substantially that all of the colored men at the South were thieves and that all of the colored women are prostitutes, while it is considered *uncivil* to call a colored man "Mr" or colored woman "Mrs."

On the subject of education the South is equally inimical to the interests of the colored people. Not only do the Southern whites reduce the school term to the lowest possible limit; but they restrict the curriculum to the primary grades and in many cases vigorously oppose all taxation for the education of colored youth.

On the subject of labor the facts are peculiarly unfortunate. Few laborers at the South obtain a fair compensation for their work. For the most part wages are paid in script or orders on stores where in the former case they must suffer loss by reason of depreciation and in the latter case they are obliged to pay exhorbitant prices for their provisions. This may not be so in some cases but these methods are both popular and general for the reason that the wages find their way back directly into the pockets of those who pay them, leaving practically nothing for the laborer. As a consequence, since the the aggregate wealth of a people consists largely of the savings of the laboring classes the material progress of the colored people is not as rapid or satisfactory as would be the case under different conditions.

Moreover the disposition is general among southern whites to withhold from colored people opportunities to buy land. This is natural, considering the policy of the South to keep in sujection the colored people, toward which the absence of ownership in land unerring by tends.

Politically there is nothing to hope from the southern white man. He has been the traditional enemy of the race in this respect and has not and will not soon change his policy. He has fought every advance with desperate inveteracy and is now engaged not only eliminating the colored citizen as office holder but in reducing him to a mere serf It is evident that the purpose of the South is to fix the brand of servitude upon the colored people at the South by making him "a hewer of wood and a carrier of water' merely. With these facts, which are indisputable, the race question should be met and handled. It is useless to shut our eyes to the facts in the vain delusion that by so doing they will disappear. Still more useless and unmanly is it to seek to disguise the facts behind false notions of state pride or sectional feeling. How conditions can be remedies is the only proper question to be considered.

As the subject of domestic relations it is difficult see by what influence they can be changed, unless it shall be in the greater dependence of the whites upon the labor of the blacks which will produce more liberal concessions on tha score. Improvement in educational facilities will come when the whites of the South are willing to sell more of their land to the colored people upon which school taxes may be levied for longer terms.

As to the material problem, there can be no hope so long as the present supply of labor so far exceeds the demand. Prosperity is the special erector of the law of demand and the former cannot exist where the latter is ignored. Hence it would seem advisable by some means to reduce the supply to a point where it will more nearly approximate the demand.

This can be done either by a wise distribution of labor among the Southern States whereby no state will become overstocked with labor or by emigration to the North and West when there is comparative scarcity of labor and when opportunities for investment are open and where homes and lands can be freely purchased. These are plain business propositions affecting not only those who remain at the South but those who leave that section. The effect of such action will be to disabuse the minds of the southern whites of the notion that the colored people cannot be induced or forced to leave and to open up new vistas to which the mind and energies of the race have hitherto never turned. Moreover, it will help to enlarge and perpetuate the republican party, insure work at good wages and give to posterity the heritage of independence, supported by sound education, approved morals and absolute freedom to act upon all lines which are calculated to uplift, strengthen and dignify a race of whatever color or clime.

"What is it Coming To?"

The sentiment throughout the country is the disfranchisement of a certain class of citizens who are illiterate. In the South the policy is to disfranchise the colored man, in the North the disposition is to adopt restrictive or qualified suffrage. If those who have the control of municiple governments would be fair and treat all alike, that is the ignorant whites and blacks, there would be no complaint so far as the masses are concerned. The colored voter must come to the conclusion that he must be able to do something more than vote. He must be able to do as much or equally as much as the white man before he becomes a factor in the body politics. The republican party has begun to look upon the negro with some degree of suspicion. The members of that party or at least some of them are beginning to think if it is not wise to allow those negroes who are disatisfied with the party to go and join such a party as they feel disposed. The destiny of the masses of the negroes is coming to one thing, the more industrious, intelligent and educated must be able to compete in all the avenues of life. The negro must unite and support one another. They must support and vote for men who will subserve the interest of all the people irrespective of religion creed on condition.

Our Colored Society.

Since the death of the once famous Lotus Club that existed in this city during the time of the once famous Freedmen's Bank, the citizens of Washington have been at ease socially. That club was composed of interlopers or negroes who migrated to the city to accept positions in the Freedmen's bank. It was during the regime of Bowen in the District of Columbia, which was at a time when colored men held positions in the departments and bank, who had been used to feeding on corn bread and hash, before they came to the city. There are now newly organized clubs composed of cate negroes from other States and the moment they land in this city, they want to set up an exclusive society. There are certain female, citizens in Washington, who join in with these popinjays to black ball respectable and decent citizens, while it is to be regretted, but, still it is true, the colored women of Washington open their doors to these men to the exclusion of their home young men, whom they have known for years. They are not in the city very long before they attempt to dictate to the people as to who shall compose the "Colored Four Hundred?"

There are all kinds of fools in this country, but the social fool is the greatest fool on earth, and the citizens ought to decide whether it would not be better to repudiate any set of men who attempt to set up class distinction.

Made no Mistake.

The speech of Commissioner Macfarland before the Committee of Congress on the District appropriation bill this week was logical and pointed. There is no man, or public official more popular in the minds of the people than Mr. Macfarland. His statement of the needs of people of the District before Congress this week is quite evident that he has the interest of the people at heart and thus far the President has made no mistake in appointing him.

The Right of Petition is one of the treasured bulwarks of American citizenship, yet in the very shadow of the Capitol this right is denied to certain employes in the city of Washington. When citizens are denied the right of present their grievances in formal petition to the legislative power it looks like tyranny and injustice too flagrant to stand the search-light of investigation.

Wordy articles on the probable policy of Mr. McKinley touchingf the treatment of colored republicans are pouring in from all sources south of Mason and Dixon. Those who sought to elect Bryan are now trying to run Mr. McKinley. But they will find that the presidential advisers are not to be found in the Bryan ranks.

It does not require a telescope or a marine flashlight to discover many Bryanites who are fattening at the public crib. A little democratic medicine would do these officers a power of good. The democratic cry of "Turn the rascals out" would be a popular slogan for the good republicans.

It is exhilarating to note how some of our worn-out local colored so-called ex-leaders are sprucing up to make a presentable showing on dress parade after the 4th of March next. But republican managers will insist that men who were shambling and pouting before the election may as well continue shambling and pouting. The roll call took place before Nov. 6 1900.

The democratic party will adhere to the teachings of Bryan.

There will be a new appointment in the Board of Education next year.

Colored men are leaving New Orleans, La., for Hawaii. This is no place for Louisiana negroes.

It is advisable for the negroes to leave the South and settle in the West.

The colored people of this country would like to see Capt. Ayers promoted.

It would be a good thing to see troop E. 10th Calvary in the inauguration.

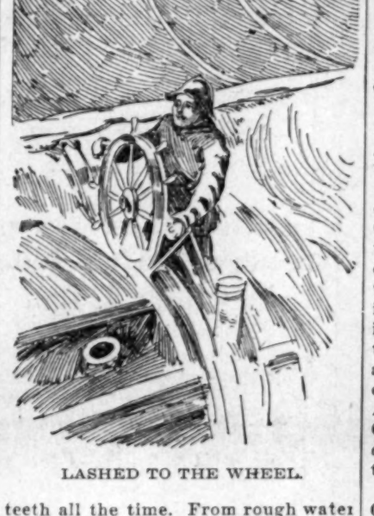
The country would breathe freely if Corbin of the War department was given a transfer.

STUCK TO HIS POST.

Lashed to the Wheel a New England Boy Pilot Brought His Schooner Safe Into Port.

Lashed for six hours to the wheel of the fishing schooner Arthur Binney with icy seas dashing in his face, 18-year-old Minard Crowe brought the vessel inside the harbor lights of Boston out of one of the worst storms ever seen along the New England coast. Three dories were carried away by the seas, the aft slide was broken from its fastenings, and the booby hatch was heaved off as if it had been of paper instead of ironbound oak.

For three weeks the Arthur Binney had been at sea, with the wind in its



LASHED TO THE WHEEL.

teeth all the time. From rough water at the beginning, the storm grew and grew. It was the first fishing trip of the season. Luck was indifferent. The banks were muggy and stormy, and just one week before the schooner made Boston harbor the captain turned the Binney's nose toward land.

One morning Capt. Croucher stopped to talk with Crowe at the wheel, when a tremendous sea reared above the vessel's side and swept the deck. The captain barely had time to duck into the galley, and from that moment until port was made Crowe held the wheel half drowned and half frozen.

It was an experience which aged the young pilot, and his fancy is beginning to turn to a farm in Oklahoma.

EDGAR D. CRUMPACKER.

Indiana Congressman Who Wants to Reduce South's Representation in the House.

Congressman Edgar D. Crumpacker, who proposes to reduce the representation of those southern states

EDGAR D. CRUMPACKER.
(Indiana Congressman Who Wants to Reduce Southern Representation.)

which have disfranchised the negroes, represents the Third district of Indiana and is now serving his second term in congress. He has been practicing law in Valparaiso since 1876, and was appellate judge in Indiana from 1891 to 1893. It is understood that Mr. Crumpacker will push the bill which he introduced recently, and which reduces the representation in proportion to the vote cast at the last election by the southern states involved. He is an ardent republican, and before his departure for Washington he told his friends he would force the house to a consideration of this measure.

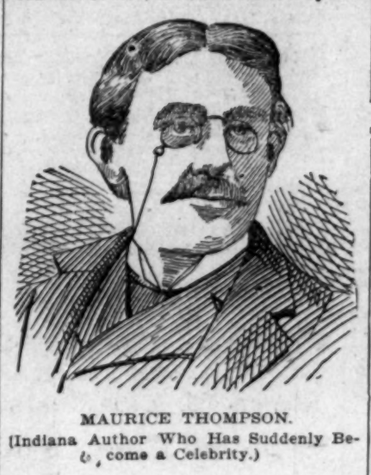
Mountain Air and Memory.

It is stated that the men who live on the mountain ranges of California are notable for their remarkably retentive memories.

AN ALL-AROUND GENIUS.

Maurice Thompson, the Indiana Author, Is at Last Obtaining National Recognition.

Maurice Thompson is a western writer whose name is not at all new to the reading public. He was born in Indiana on the 9th of September, 1844, but his early education was received in Georgia, to which state his father moved when Maurice was a child. In 1868 young Thompson returned to Indiana, and, having become a civil engineer, he took charge of the construction of a railroad. Civil engineering was not to his taste, and he gave it up for the law. Having married, he and his brother opened a law office in Crawfordsville, Ind., and for some years



MAURICE THOMPSON.
(Indiana Author Who Has Suddenly Become a Celebrity.)

they practiced law with much success.

Maurice Thompson was versatile in his natural gifts, for he was successful not only as a lawyer, but also in politics and as a lecturer. Yet never has he struck quite so high a note as in his latest book, "Alice of Old Vincennes."

We have here a remarkably strong book dealing with the romantic history of the old French trading post and other incidents connected with the history of the American revolution. It will be a surprise to many intelligent readers to know that the town of Vincennes was founded nearly 200 years ago, and that it is the oldest town in the state of Indiana. The French founded a mission here in 1702, and they also erected a fort at a later period. Its first settlers were all French. In the year 1779 Gen. George Rogers Clarke attacked the fort and captured it from a British garrison. Gen. Clarke also captured the commandant of the fort, Gov. Hamilton, who was charged with the serious crime of inciting the Indians to attack the few settlements in the territory. There is not in all American revolutionary history a more striking incident than Gen. Clarke's capture of the fort. He had but 200 men, and the capture of the fort was a deed of wonderful daring and military skill. A year later, during the absence of Gen. Clarke, the fort was retaken by a detachment of British troops from Detroit.

With a force of but 175 men Gen. Clarke set out in the dead of a bitter winter to again take possession of the fort. For five days the intrepid general and his brave men marched through icy water up to their knees, but they had their reward in the recapture of the fort and the routing of the British.

YERKES' NEW OFFICE.

Leader of Kentucky Republicans Appointed United States Internal Revenue Commissioner.

The president has recently nominated John W. Yerkes, of Kentucky, to be commissioner of internal revenue.

JOHN W. YERKES.
(New United States Commissioner of Internal Revenue.)

He is one of the best known politicians of Kentucky. He is a native of Warminster township, Bucks county, Ky., where he first saw the light on April 10, 1854.

John W. Yerkes graduated from Danville college, Kentucky, in 1873, and three years later took the degree of master of arts. In 1877 he graduated from the University of Michigan with the degree of LL. B. After having practiced his profession at Danville, Ky., for a year he was appointed register in bankruptcy, and from 1877 to 1892 he was master in chancery. From 1891 to 1896 he was chairman of the republican state central committee, and in 1893 he was appointed state commissioner to the world's fair at Chicago. Two years later he went to Atlanta in a similar capacity. He has been a member of the republican national committee since 1896. He was appointed counsel for the Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific railroads in 1892, and in 1897 received the appointment of United States collector of internal revenue. He was nominated on the republican ticket for governor of Kentucky, but was defeated at the recent election by Gov. Beckham.

ALASKA LOVE TALE.

How a Miner from Boston Fought for a Dusky Bride.

There Is Romance in the Land of Ice and Snow as Well as in Sunny Climes—The Wooing of Jack Elliott.

According to a St. Louis Republic correspondent the folks in Boston who knew Jack Elliott when he was a poor man, glad enough to earn enough money to provide for his daily wants, are listening with interest to the particulars of a romantic story in which the former resident of that city figures conspicuously.

With the desire to get ahead in the world, Elliott left Boston something over a year ago to try his fortune in the west. He went to San Francisco and from there shipped on a whaling vessel last winter. The season was poor, and the whaler was frozen in near the mouth of the MacKenzie river. The rations were short, and Elliott grew weary of the idleness and hardships that would result in nothing. He heard tales of the gold that was stored away in Nome, and he utilized his many spare hours in forming plans.

One very dark day Jack Elliott was missing at mess call. He had deserted, and with him had gone two months' provisions for one.

On snowshoes Elliott pushed his way toward Cape Nome. With him he carried a small compass, which pointed for him the way. He made as good progress as one can hope to make under such circumstances, but his provisions began to run short and his strength to fag.

Finally even the last drop of grease had been absorbed, and there was no settlement in sight. His feet were frozen and his body racked with pain. At last he sank down to await the coming of death. Lights danced before his eyes, and then he knew no more.

When consciousness returned there

CARRYING HIS BRIDE AWAY.

was bending over him a dark-skinned girl, who was holding his feet close to her to try to warm them. This Indian maiden was Nuckla, daughter of Taka, chief of the Nome tribe of Indians, who inhabit the valley beyond Critter's bay, 100 miles north of Nome City.

With Nuckla Elliott staggered into the settlement, more dead than alive, and crazed by hunger.

The friendly Nomes did all they could for him. One of the chief's huts was prepared for him, and Nuckla was installed as his nurse. Elliott revived slowly and his feet got well. As health returned he began to realize that he had fallen in love with the pretty little Indian girl who had saved his life. This he managed to make the girl understand, and she showed her liking for him.

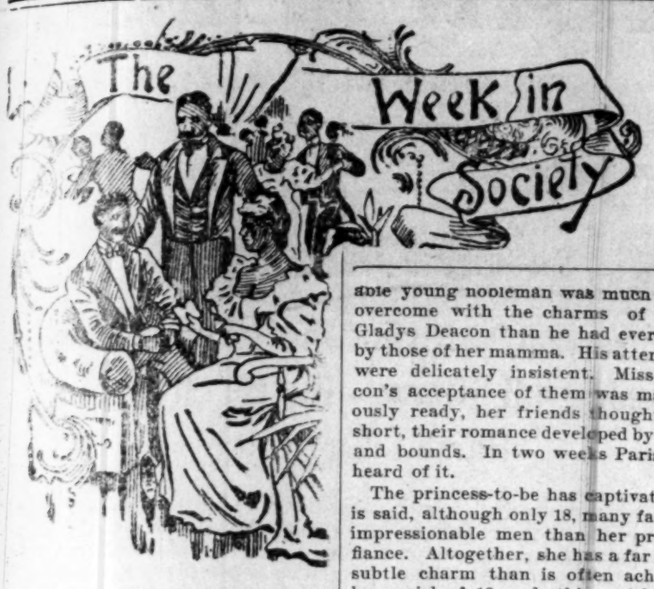
Elliott remained a welcome guest of the tribe until the chief discovered his attachment for his daughter. Then he told him that his child could not be a white man's bride, and, besides that she was already promised to the subchief of the tribe.

Then Nuckla told her lover that there was plenty of gold a hundred miles away, and that she would go with him, but that same night, while the Indian girl slept, her lover stole away. Five days later he was on Hungry creek, where he staked a claim. This was last April, and the girl who had nursed him so faithfully believed he had deserted her. But one day in August she was surprised to see her sweetheart once more at the settlement. It was all arranged that she was to marry Luklakakla, her Indian lover. This she told the white man, but he confided to her a plan for escaping it all. Her heart swelled with pride when he told her he had returned to carry her away to his mining claim. And, without a word of protest, she put up her slender arms, her big lover lifted her from the ground and started toward his diggings.

Elliott built a cabin for his bride, and they settled down to spend their honeymoon. But the Indians had trailed them to their hiding place, and a short time ago made an attack upon the cabin, with the intention of carrying Nuckla back to the settlement. But the miner heard the screams of the girl and rushed to her rescue. There were 30 Indians in the band, but Elliott shot three and wounded six. The balance fled in the twilight.

All the men in the diggings have volunteered to defend Elliott's cabin against any future attack of the Indians.

Elliott sent $90,000 to San Francisco a month ago in gold nuggets, and an agent for Boston and New York capitalists has offered him $300,000 of his claim on Hungry creek and the claim adjoining.



Register J. W. Lyons and Recorder of deeds Cheatham entertained, last Saturday evening, the press and resident correspondents at 1417 Corcoran st. n.w.

Mr. W. C. Coleman and J. H. Henderson of North Carolina were in the city this week.

WILL WED A PRINCE.

Miss Gladys Deacon to Be the Princess of Lichtenstein.

A Matrimonial Engagement Which Has Set Tongues Wagging on Both Sides of the Atlantic — A Unique Courtship.

The tragedy occurring at Paris several years ago in which Edward Parker Deacon, of Boston, bore a leading part has been recalled to mind by the recent engagement of his daughter Gladys to one of the most distinguished noblemen of Europe. Mr. Deacon is hopelessly insane at Waverly asylum, where he is attended by his wife. The terrible tragedy of Mr. Deacon's killing of Abeille, whom he had accused of attentions to his wife, is forgotten in the intensity of the American colony's interest in the romance of his daughter.

The marriage of this beautiful young girl, oldest and loveliest of the four daughters, to a man of such rank and standing as the prince of Lichtenstein will do much to relieve her family from the scandal which has shrouded it ever since the famous Deacon-Abeille tragedy ten years ago. And anybody who has ever seen Mr. Deacon's lovely, sad-faced daughter is unaffectedly glad that she is happily betrothed.

Like every young girl of wealth and prominence, Miss Deacon has several times been reported engaged. The last time such a story prevailed she was supposed to be on the point of becoming the bride of Claude Lowther, an Englishman. As Miss Deacon has spent her entire life abroad and as her wealth and connections had enabled her to meet many men of title and distinction, this announcement did not imply the social triumph that it might otherwise have done. As to its being a love match everybody wondered; but shortly the report was discredited.

Not many months ago Miss Deacon and her mother went to Biarritz. A week or two afterward the prince of Lichtenstein, a rich young German relative of the kaiser, registered at the same hotel. Then the following interesting sequence of events occurred: The young prince, who is a nephew of the famous Austrian diplomat, Prince Aloys Lichtenstein, met Mrs. Deacon—

MISS GLADYS DEACON.
(American Heiress Who Is to Marry the Prince of Lichtenstein.)

or Mrs. Baldwin, as she is now known. Mrs. Deacon is still young. She married Edward Parker Deacon when she was only 17. Her misfortunes have added, her admirers say, a curious fascination to the beauty which made her in her girlhood one of the belles of America and as a young matron much sought after in Europe. In dress, in manner and in a thousand details she is a thorough Parisian.

Young Prince Lichtenstein succumbed at the first sight of this beautiful woman. It was the old story—exemplified a few weeks ago in the marriage of Lady Randolph Churchill and young Mr. West—of a beautiful matron's capacity of arousing the infatuation of a susceptible young man. The second time he met Mrs. Deacon the young prince told her something of this sort. She, wiser than some women, silenced him. "Hush, dear boy," she said. "Why, you haven't even met my daughter yet."

The next day the prince met the daughter. Spectators of the little comedy smiled at the eagerness of the boy's glances. In a few days the impressionable young nobleman was much more overcome with the charms of Miss Gladys Deacon than he had ever been by those of her mamma. His attentions were delicately insistent. Miss Deacon's acceptance of them was marvelously ready, her friends thought. In short, their romance developed by leaps and bounds. In two weeks Paris had heard of it.

The princess-to-be has captivated, it is said, although only 18, many far less impressionable men than her present fiance. Altogether, she has a far more subtle charm than is often achieved by a girl of 18, and this, with her wealth, gives rise to the repeated comments that the prince is singularly fortunate.

Gladys Deacon, though an American born, an heiress and of excellent family, is absolutely unknown in her own country. She has not even visited it since she was a tiny girl. Even then on her last visit people looked at her curiously and pityingly. The sorrow of her life had already come to her. The bitterness of being stared at and openly pitied was revealed to Gladys Deacon when she was only eight years old. Since then she has never known a respite from it.

A Vessel with a History.

The duke of Abruzzi has given his exploring vessel, Stella Polare, to the Italian navy. It will be stationed at Spezia and kept as a souvenir of the trip.

IS A SELF-MADE MAN.

John G. A. Leishmann, Just Appointed Minister at Constantinople by President McKinley.

The president has appointed John G. A. Leishmann, of Pennsylvania, now minister to Switzerland, to be minister to Turkey, in place of Oscar Straus, of New York; Arthur S. Hardy, of New Hampshire, now minister to Greece, Roumania and Servia, to be minister to Switzerland; Charles S. Francis, of New York, to be minister to Greece, Roumania and Servia.

Mr. Leishmann was born in Allegheny, Pa., and was raised in the Protestant orphan asylum, Allegheny, his father having died while he was quite young. When a mere lad he became employed by Dr. Speer, an eye and ear specialist, as an office boy. He later secured a similar position with the Moenberger Steel company, rising gradually in his 12 or 13 years' employment there to be cashier and purchasing agent. He then entered into partnership with W. P. Snyder, now of the Oliver-Snyder Steel company, in the iron and steel brokerage business, the firm being Leishmann & Snyder. The firm did a prosperous business for

JOHN G. A. LEISHMANN.
(New United States Minister at Constantinople, Turkey.)

eight years, when the partnership was dissolved. Mr. Leishmann was connected with the Carnegie associations from November 1, 1886, until his withdrawal in 1897. He was a member of the board of managers from January 30, 1888, to June 30, 1892, and was vice chairman of the Carnegie Steel Company, Limited, from July 1, 1892, to January 1, 1896, and was president of the same company from January 1, 1896, to March 31, 1897, when he retired. Mr. Leishmann married a Miss Crawford, a sister of Mrs. George W. English, of New York. He is a man of great wealth and is famous as a host.

Bones of Pere Marquette.

Surprise has been occasioned in Milwaukee by the report of the discovery of the supposed bones of Father Marquette near Frankfort, Mich. It has been generally supposed for the last 20 years that the remains of Father Marquette are in possession of Marquette college in Milwaukee. They were located by Father Jacker, an Indian missionary, in 1878, at St. Ignace, Mich., on the site of the chapel of the Mission of St. Ignatius, which Father Marquette founded in 1671. Father Jacker found the ruins of the chapel, and, digging beneath the altar's site, discovered the relics. They were sent to Marquette college, which was then being built. A celebration was held at St. Ignace in August, 1879, on account of Father Jacker's discovery.

Rise of a Railroad Man.

A steady advance in prosperity has marked the career of Charles M. Hays, of St. Louis. At the age of 19 he was a clerk in that city at the office of the Southern Pacific railroad. His salary was then $40 a month. At the age of 42 he has just been elected president of the Southern Pacific railroad, with a salary of $55,000 a year.

BAD LITTLE WILLIE.

His Papa Gave Him Just What His Actions Deserved.

Father Owed a Duty to Society and Performed It Without Hesitating —Still the Passengers Were Not Satisfied.

In one of the upper corners of the down-town Ninth street car, says the Washington Star, the lively little four-year-old boy was giving his weary-looking mother about all she could attend to. First he would want to stand on the seat and hammer on the window until it seemed as if the glass would just have to smash. Then he would stand on his mother's lap with his muddy little shoes, and twist her veil up into knots, and push her nose the wrong way, and make a fork of his fore and middle fingers and jab them into her eyes, and pull down her back hair, and tug at her collar, and loosen her breastpin, and pull down her lower lip to make it "snap," and yank at her ears, and divert himself in other little comfortable ways of the sort. Then he would demand to be set down on the floor, in the aisle, where he would pound with all his might on his mother's knees and sing at the top of his lungs, until she would stop him with a warning "Sh-sh, Willie!" Whereupon he would seize his mother's umbrella and attempt to open it in her face, and bawl lustily when she attempted to take it away from him.

The other passengers glared at the angel child and secretly hankered to own him for about 42 seconds, in order to "put him next" to a few little things which he seemed not to understand. The pale, tall man, however, who was sitting right alongside the angel child's seat, seemed to be paying no attention whatever to the young one's deviltries. He looked straight ahead of him out of the window, nor did all of the wrigglings or

JUST WHAT WILLIE NEEDED.

noise of the youngster cause him to remove his gaze from a point straight ahead.

The angel four-year-old continued to enjoy himself as the car reached the down-town section. He began to make comments upon the personal appearance of entering passengers—loudly calling attention to the "big nose" of this one, to the "big mouth" of that one, and the "funny-lookin' face" of the other one. His mother said "Sh-sh!" a great many times, but the kid apparently didn't hear her, or didn't want to hear her. The passengers went right on longing to have the celestial infant in a woodshed for varying periods of time, but the pale, tall man right alongside the young one kept right on looking straight ahead.

The personal characteristics of the passengers palled upon the youngster after a time, and he looked around for other ways of amusing himself. Finally, he climbed up on the seat again, and slyly reaching around back of the pale, tall man's head, he clutched one end of the latter's mustache and gave it a good, hard tug. The pale, tall man didn't even wince. He didn't remove his gaze from the point directly ahead of him. But he carefully and deliberately gathered the young one in his arms, placed the young one across his knee, and still looking out of the window, and apparently totally uninterested in what he was doing, he let the young one have a round dozen on the spot where they would do the most good with an amount of resounding force that caused the young one to howl like fun.

"That's just what the kid needed in his business," thought all of the other passengers, "and I'd like to have been the one to hand him what was coming to him—but, cracky! won't his mother more than lay that fellow out, though!"

They looked at the mother, waiting for the explosion. However, she seemed to take it all as a matter of course. She didn't utter a word of objection. When the pale, tall man was through spanking the young one, and had deposited him in his mother's lap, the other passengers couldn't understand why she didn't open up on the spanker and tell him many things after the fashion of mothers in such cases made and provided. The kid was howling.

"You got just what you deserved from papa!" was the way the mother comforted the yelling one, and then, at L street, the pale, tall man signaled the conductor, and, stepping off, assisted his wife and recalcitrant son and heir to alight, while the other passengers looked sheepishly at each other, after the manner of folks who feel that, somehow or another, they haven't got their money's worth.

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Several of the Indian women endeavored to get at the waitress with knives, but the girl took refuge behind the counter, and from this position bombarded the unwelcome callers with plates and hard-boiled eggs. Several of the invaders were knocked out by the flying missiles, and finally those able to run fled, pursued by Miss O'Brien, who overtook them and secured all of the plunder they had carried away.

One of the Indian women had secreted a rug inside her dress, and in recovering this the garments of the thief were almost torn from her body by the waitress, who, after she had gotten back her employers' property, took off her own waist and gave it to the squaw.

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SPIRIT HELPED HIM.

How a Colorado Man Located a Long-Lost Gold Mine.

Message from a Departed Brother Furnished Route to the Famous Josephine, an Old and Valuable Spanish Possession.

Word has just been received at Maab, Utah, of the rediscovery in the Blue mountains in San Juan county, 65 miles away, of the lost Josephine mine, formerly belonging to some Spaniards. The manner in which the old mine was found is considered most remarkable.

E. H. Ryan, former attorney of San Juan county, is the man who was instrumental in the discovery. But he would have found nothing if he had not had the assistance of a spirit. Mr. Ryan has just returned from Monticello, and tells the following:

On Sunday, December 2, he was writing in the county clerk's office at Monticello when a boy came in and wanted a location blank certificate, and, receiving it, went away and a little later returned with the blank filled out in pencil and requested Mr. Ryan to make a copy in ink for record. Something in the boy's action and the description of the location caused Mr. Ryan to think there was something unusual in this location, and also the fact that the boy was a stranger in that section, and inquiry brought out the information that the boy was camped with his father and sister near Monticello. Mr. Ryan went to the camp and found A. J. Strouse and daughter, aged about ten years. Mr. Strouse stated that he formerly lived at Morrison, Cal., but lately at Dolores, Col. That for some years he had been a believer in spiritualism and that for a number of years he had received communications from the spirit of his dead brother.

That for some time past he has known that the spirit had an important message to deliver to him, but could get nothing of a definite nature except that he wanted him to come to

THE SPIRIT TELLS HIS STORY.

southwestern Colorado or southeastern Utah. At last he asked the spirit if there was anyone through whom he could communicate definite information, and was told yes.

He asked if it was anyone in the family and was answered yes. He then asked the names of the members of the family and received no for an answer, until he asked if it was the young daughter, and was told it was. A slate and pencil was brought and the girl at once commenced to write, and a route he was to take was described in the minutest detail, distance, watering places and condition of the roads. The spirit told that at a point described he would find the Josephine mine, worked by the Spanish about 300 years ago, and who were finally driven out by the Indians. It was described that he would find some old pole picks in the tunnel he would uncover. That at one time a fight took place at the mine between the Spanish and the Indians and the Indian chief was killed. The spirit also told that the mine would produce him a large amount of wealth; that he would start the work with ten men and finally work 80 men and that the mine would finally produce him $185,000 a month; that he would find the old workings to be a tunnel 30 feet high and 15 feet wide.

Mr. Strouse left Dolores immediately—Wednesday, November 28—and following the route described came to a point about six miles from Monticello on the south slope of the Blue mountains and about one and a half miles from the sawmill, and found the place indicated, where he began to dig, and soon uncovered what was the mouth of an old tunnel workings that had been carefully covered over. He uncovered a large flat stone covering the entrance and found the opening with everything as the spirit's description gave it. He was satisfied that he had found what was wanted. He came at once to Monticello to put his discovery on record, and this was the location Mr. Ryan had filled out.

It is a matter of old Spanish-Mexican history, records of which have been found among the archives of Mexico, that a rich mine known as the Josephine mine had been worked by the Spanish. From the records, which were rather obscure, it was thought to have been in the Blue, Elk, La Sal or Henry mountains, in southeastern Utah, and many prospectors have searched for it. The story of the find reads like a fairy tale, but the fact of it being found and by persons strangers in the country, who came a long distance across country and direct to the spot, is beyond question.

Whisky Seller in Trouble.

A persevering gentleman in St. John, Kan., has been convicted of violating the prohibitory law by selling whisky. There were 49 distinct violations of the law, and he has been sentenced to 49 months in jail, as well as a fine of $100 for each offense. As he cannot pay the $4,900, he must spend a day in jail for each half-dollar of the fine—over 80 years altogether.

MARRIED IN A TREE.

Young Pennsylvania Couple Chased by an Angry Bull Had Novel Wedding.

When the minister and the two lovers who were having a tiff were all treed by an angry bull, then followed the queerest wedding on record. Charlie Bangs and his sweetheart Emma Swanter, left their home, near Montrose, a town not far from Susquehanna, Pa. one evening recently to go over to Great Bend to attend the wedding of one of their friends. Young Bangs' attentions to other girls whom they met irritated his fiancee so much that when the time came to go home the lovers were on

BANGS WAS IN THE LEAD.

very poor terms with each other. The minister accompanied them, but the party was a very quiet and unsociable one.

On the way home they crossed a field that was preempted by a bull noted for his ugly disposition. The bull soon let them know that they were trespassers, and when he charged down on them all three scudded for the trees. Bangs was in the lead and the minister covered the rear. Bangs also was the first up the tree, but the minister waited until he had boosted Emma up before he sought safety. Once up there every one began to feel so much better that in spite of Bangs' haste to lead the retreat, a reconciliation was effected on the spot—or rather on the boughs.

Suddenly it occurred to one of them that here was a chance to have a record-breaking wedding, and then and there the marriage ceremony was performed. Pretty soon the owner of the bull came along and drove the animal away, when the liberated party went at once to the home of the bridegroom.

NOT ON THE BILLS.

How an Exasperated "Super" Got Revenge Upon Actor Mansfield Whom He Hated.

A supernumerary in Richard Mansfield's company who had been, to use a Scotch phrase, continuously and continually "neckled" by the manager at rehearsals and between the acts for alleged displays of stupidity on the stage, was informed that a near relative of his had departed this life and had left him a competence, so he decided to leave the dramatic profession and, to quote him, become respectable. Before leaving he determined to take his revenge on Mans-

"IT'LL BE ALL RIGHT."

field for the attacks on his amour propre that gentleman had made.

The play was "Richard III," and the super was one of the soldiers who lead away the duke of Buckingham when the king orders his demise.

In due time Richard remarked "Off with his head;" and this was the super's opportunity. Advancing, he touched his helmet in the style of a footman and replied loudly and genially:

"That'll be attended to, old chap. We'll take care of old Buck. It'll be all right!" and retired gracefully. When the infuriated Mansfield came off to commit murder he found the super had fled.

Settled with Old Felix.

Thirty-eight years ago a Mr. Cunningham, who is now editor of the Confederate Veteran, a paper published at Nashville, passed through Opelika, Ala., with a company of confederate soldiers and purchased a lunch of Felix Hubbard, the old blind man who for 45 years has sold papers, peanuts and lunches there. Not having the money he was credited and thought no more of the matter until recently, when he passed through again and, learning that Hubbard was still there, he paid him. Felix Hubbard is known possibly by more people than is any other man in the south. For 45 years, summer and winter, he has met every train day and night, and sold papers, peanuts and lunches. He has been totally blind for over 50 years and is 77 years old and is indeed a remarkable character.

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I shall in this column endeavor to answer all correspondence that may be sent and urgently request young ladies to read this column, and any questions that they wish answered please send them in before Saturday of each week.

By Miss May Clematis.

A Happy New Year to you all.

Delia. Let us improve this year.

Norah. It is a pity for a girl to be dependent.

Hules. I have warned you against momentary admiration.

Dode. Flirtation will not gain permanent admiration.

Etta. The sentiment you suggested is most beautiful. "Old tunes are the sweetest and old friends are the surest." Please be benefitted by them.

E. J. Start from today and make this year beneficial to you. Nothing is more beneficial to than true friendship.

B. M. Always be truthful and say nothing that cannot be repeated to a second party.

Isa. While you are doing well don't forget old friends. They will be needed some day.

R. T. The man who imagines himself the greatest in a community, but, who realy has nothing more than newspaper notoriety is a very small man in the estimation of sensible people.

R. T. Don't make vows on New Years' Day. They are very seldom kept.

Girls don't crave for those things that you cannot get. Be satisfied with what you honestly earn.

Don't be influenced by others', looks or associates.

Be contented with what you have.

Be kind hearted, because kindness is a card that all cannot play.

Respect yourself and assert your independence although you may b poor.

Success in life depends on what you can do.

Be positive in what you say.

Never be actuated by malace.

Honesty is the best policy.

Don't try to out dress your neighbor.

Wear only those things that are becoming.

Remember one thing, life is what yon make it.

Rebuke no one, because the unjust will receive his reward.

E. T. Some of the girls followed the suggestions of what I said last week. I saw only a few advertised receptions.

Olie. Yes, the first of the year is a time when you should have remained at home. You can tell better how much you are appreciated and esteemed by those who know and respect you by holding your own receptions on New Years' ay.

A. M. Nothing is sweeter in a young girl than when she shows her independence. Let no young man think that you want his company. This is an age of trials and tribulations.

Delia. I am of the opinion that the play was not what you expected it would be. There are morals in some plays, but the one last week fell short of its moral effect.

Lucy. There are times in one's life that "patience ceases to be a virtue." Every yonng girl should aim to do well in life.

D. O. Whatever may be your faults in life, you should aim to be honest in your dealings with those with whom you associate.

Now girls how did you spend Tuesday. Certianly you dispensed with wine and such intoxicants that the mind will not tolerate. I hope your callers were many and you followed strictly the rules of polite society. No young girl can hope to succeed in life whose entire ambition is frolic. The girl who cares nothing for books or refined literature, but rather spend her spare moments at the card table or in some ball room is not the fit associate for girls of higher aspirations. It is the weak mind that craves for such pleasure and the girl who is the associate of such a one will so n fall into such habits. Let the ambitious girl seek other associates before it is too late.

THE GIRL AND HER MOTHER.

THE DAUGHTER SHOULD CO-OPERATE WITH MOTHER IN THE HOME-MAKING.

"If your dear mother could count on your steady, sensible, helpful, practical interest in the home-making and the management of the house, she would be the happiest mother in the world," writes Helen Watterson Moody of "Where Daughters are Sinners," in the January Ladies Home Journal. "She would be glad to give over a little, or great deal, of her authority to an earnest and s stematic little daughter. She has had the care of her home on her mind now for nearly twenty-five years—morning, afternoon and evening, meals, house-furnishing, housecleaning, sewing, guests, everything. Think of it! Do you wonder that her first fine enthusiasm is a little dull, and that it doesn't seem so tremendous a matter to her if her sofa-cushions are old fashioned, or her window curtains are looped primly back as they were twenty years ago, or her waitress does not wear the newest kind of approns?"

BRAIN MOTOR CENTERS.

Physicians in France Endeavor to Determine Them by Making Experiments with Dogs.

In the House of the Good Shepherd in London a surgeon on the staff has been conducting a series of experiments determining some of the hitherto unknown motor centers of the brain. The head of a brown setter dog, inlaid with small ivory plates, out of which project knobs of silver, is the base of the experiments. A wire and a telegrapher's key complete the fixtures.

Proceeding on the acknowledged similarity of the brain of a dog and of a man the surgeon went to work. When

TELEGRAPH TO DOG'S BRAIN.

the skull had been trephined with the ivory plates a weak current of electricity would be turned on a certain silver knob. Perhaps the dog would move its right foreleg. Touching another button with the wire a hind leg might be moved.

One of these plates touched by the electric current produces a sneeze in the animal. This is a discovery of marked interest, for so far nothing else has pointed to that particular motor center.

Another key made the dog cough, and still another made its eyes stream with water. These three centers are distinctly new to science, and point to the certainty of deeper centers than hitherto have been explored.

So far as the animal is concerned, save when he is under experiment, he is a normal Irish setter, of keen intelligence. The ivory plates have become a part of his skull, and he suffers no inconvenience from them. He is fond of his master, and makes no protest at the experiments. At times, however, a puzzled look has been noted in his eyes when some part of his body would move without his mental command.

The practical value of the experiments lies in the benefit that comes to a surgeon in making certain diagnoses. For instance, if something goes wrong with the movement of a man's tongue, if one limb is paralyzed or if some other set of muscles refuse to work, the brain is looked to for the cause. If the motor center controlling these muscles is known the surgeon has only to lift a bit of skull protecting it to find an abscess, a blood-clot, or a thickened condition of the cranial wall interfering with the circulation of blood in that particular portion of the brain.

IT MADE HER HAPPY.

How a Blushing Bride Found Out That She Was Her Darling Hubby's First Love.

"By Jove," exclaimed the bridegroom, as he sat down and tugged away at his mustache, "this is too bad!"

They had just arrived at Margate, says London Tit-Bits, and the porter

SHE REMOVED A HAIRPIN.

had bowed himself out after carrying up a trunk that weighed three hundredweight, for which he received a two-shilling tip. The frightened girl dropped her traveling hat upon the table and stood as if transfixed, with one of her gloves half on.

"What is it, Harry?" she asked.

"This is a fine go," he muttered. "I wonder how in the world I ever came to do such a foolish thing."

Then he felt in his pockets again, and cast a helpless look at the big trunk.

"You—you haven't lost your pocketbook, have you?" she asked.

"No, darling," he answered, "but I left my keys at home, and the one that opens your trunk is among them."

"Oh, is that all?" she exclaimed, with a happy little sigh. "Here—" and she removed a hairpin from her rich brown locks—"open it with this. Now I know that I am the only girl in whom you ever took a real interest. Otherwise you would have known. Ah, Harry, dear, I'm so happy."

Woman Dispenses Justice.

The police justice in Alwert, Kan., is a woman.

HATCHET IS BURIED.

Indian Chief Gives Away His Fortune in One Night.

Spent Eight Thousnd Dollars to Give His Friends and Ancient Enemies a Feast to Be Remembered Always.

According to a correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer, who at the present time is at Dawson City, Chief Kodawatt is one of the greatest leaders of the many Alaskan tribes of Indians. In his younger days he was the head and front of the intertribal wars of the Chilkats, but to-day he is old and consumptive, and well-nigh a pauper, as his fortune of $8,000 has been expended in giving the last and greatest "potlatch," or feast, that ever has been or will be held in Alaska, as Gov. Brady has prevailed upon his tawny constituents to give up this species of barbaric extravagance.

Chief Kodawatt's idea was good. A feud had existed between the tribes of the Lynn canal for more than 100 years, and he wanted to make an everlasting peace among them. He had been saving his money for two years for the purpose of this feast. It has just been celebrated at Klukwan, and the Wrangels and the Chilkats have buried the hatchet.

The guests were picturesque—dressed as they were in American clothes, but with an incongruity that was startling. A tennis suit with a silk hat, or a swallow tail coat with a yachting cap, was not uncommon.

The Sitkas sprung something extraordinary—the Tamanamass, the devil dance of the old midwinter feast, now seldom seen. The affair was so realistic and tragical that the United States troops were about to interfere, as it looked as though a murder had been committed.

The chief of the dancers' tribe stepped forward and thrust his knife into the back of one of the dancers, who seemed in a frenzy of excitement. A second blow with the knife was given, and the blood flowed down the dancer's back. Blow after blow was given, and finally the victim fell prostrate on the ground. But the killing

CHIEF KODAWATT.

was a fake. Hidden under the cloak of the dancer were long strings of kelp, and these were filled with "blood," made of a mixture of red gum, rosin oil and water, which is used in coloring the inside of canoes. When the black trooper went to look after the "dead" man he found him calmly washing his face.

The dance was kept up all night and in the early morning the "potlatch" proper was celebrated. On a platform, behind a huge pile of blankets, many of them of American manufacture, stood old Chief Kodawatt, and beside him George Shortridge, his subchief. There was also a large pile of miscellaneous goods, from pilot bread to cases of boots.

And now came the great event of the "potlatch"—the bestowal of all his wealth by Kodawatt as presents to the assembled tribesmen.

The old chief was welcomed with loud shouts and chants, amid which were mingled the cries of animals. Raising his wrinkled hand the old man who had thus impoverished himself, and from wealth had sunk into poverty because of his generosity, told how glad he was to thus give presents to his friends. He spoke of "potlatches" of the past in which he had participated, none of which could equal this in splendor; of how great he was, and so on.

At the conclusion of his speech Kodawatt and his subchief were wound inside of blankets and cloths by the attendants until they looked like huge mummies. In this plight they listened awhile to the songs sang by the Indians, and then slowly unwound themselves.

A feast succeeded this, the food being piled upon a platform, the guests going as though to a buffet at an ordinary reception lunch.

One of the principal features of the event was gambling, and when it was all over many a brave went to his hut dead broke and squawless, the "wives" being a common stake to win or lose. It was a great "potlatch," but the last in Alaska.

Knew a Good Thing.

"I wish I could live at grandma's all the time," said little Mabel, after being corrected by her mother for disobedience.

"Why so?" asked her mother.

"'Cause," replied Mabel, "I don't have to mind a word she says."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The potato, hitherto grown as a tuber underground, is now being produced like fruit from the stem of the plant. The flavor of these potatoes is excellent.

STATUE FOR AN APE.

He Was the Pet of the Town of Grenoble, France, Because He Saved a Child's Life.

The municipal council of Grenoble has voted a large appropriation to erect a bronze statue of the famous chimpanzee Charlemagne, who has just died there. He was brought to Grenoble by Explorer Marvotte, and for nine years had enjoyed the freedom of the town, being allowed to enter every home and to help himself to anything in the vegetable and fruit shops.

Charlemagne, who was perfectly tame, dressed like a laborer, though he preferred to travel on all fours. He used to sit with the card players in the cafes or by the fishermen at the river bank by the hour, looking to be the

THE CHILDREN'S PLAYMATE.

wisest and most sedate crony among them.

Five years ago, writes a New York World correspondent, he rescued a child who had fallen in a well by going down and climbing back by the help of a rope and the projections of the wall. Nobody was present but the drenched child, who told the story.

Charlemagne was also a great favorite at the Children's hospital. There he spent hours playing in different wards with infinite kindness. His funeral was attended by the whole population.

Only one other French city possesses a monument erected in memory of an animal by a loving public. This is Montargis, where there is a bronze dog, cited in all guide books as the Montargis dog. After his master had been murdered the dog fought the assassin all the night, fencing him in a vacant lot and preventing his escape. The dog was mortally stabbed and both he and the murderer died from their wounds next day.

SPOOKS IN GRAVEYARD.

Dead of Long Ago Supposed to Lurk in a Deserted Pennsylvania Cemetery.

Near Milton Grove, Lancaster county, Pa., is a deserted graveyard, overgrown with rank weeds. The fence around it is falling rapidly into decay. The neighbors call the place haunted and the children hesitate to go past it in the day, while at night only the bravest will venture near the place. In the graveyard are five mounds marking the only graves left, the other bodies having been disinterred and taken away. In each one of these graves lies the body of a person who died a violent death.

For over 170 years the crumbling gravestones have told the stories of how these persons died. In the first grave lies all that is mortal of the wife of one John Kinsly. In 1878, according to the tombstones on which the inscription is still legible, Kinsley came home and found his wife hanging to a tree. The lonely forest home had driven her to suicide.

Next is the grave of Flana Doty, an aged recluse, who was burned to death in her cabin.

Jonathan Fissel, who was buried in the next grave, was said in his day to

THE CEMETERY AT NIGHT.

have been a pirate and to have assisted in the burial of treasure and his death is said to have been caused by some adventurers who tried to torture from him his secret.

Frederick Kissel's bones lie under a fallen gravestone that relates the story of his murder by Indians.

In the last grave is a man who was killed in the early Indian wars. His name was faded from the gravestone and the manner of his death is only known by tradition.

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DOCKERY IN CONGRESS.

Although No Longer a Member of the House He Began Present Session in the Old Way.

Ex-Congressman Dockery has been elected governor of Missouri, says the Chicago Record, but like the rest of mankind, he is a creature of habit, and comes strolling into Washington this year at the opening of congress, as he has done for the last 20 years.

Dockery is absent-minded also, and forgot that he was no longer a member of the house of represenatives. On the first day of the session he entered the hall, hung his coat and hat on the old peg in the cloak-room,

ALEXANDER M. DOCKERY.
(For Many Years a Congressman, Now Governor of Missouri.)

said good morning to the doorkeeper, got into the barber's chair and was shaved, and then went out and took his former seat about half way down the third aisle on the democratic side. A new member from Virginia noticed a fine specimen of statesmanship occupying his chair and chatting familiarly with the neighbors around him, but was too much of a gentleman to interrupt the conversation, so he went off and sat down somewhere else. When the house was called to order Dockery nodded assent as he used to do, he arose and bowed his head reverently during the chaplain's prayer, and then listened attentively to the reading of the journal to see if he could detect anything to criticise or to object to, but it was short and sweet and offered no chance to find fault. When Mr. Hull offered a resolution for the consideration of the army bill Dockery arose to discuss the proposition when somebody pulled his coattail and reminded him that ex-members are not permitted to participate in the debate.

Dockery turned red in the face, left the seat, grabbed his overcoat and hat and rushed over to the room of the committee on appropriations, where he laid his head upon the breast of Hon. Joseph G. Cannon, of Illinois, and wept bitterly. From that time on he has not entered the house of representatives, and as soon as he can get a railroad pass he is going home.

Mr. Dockery, was one of the few who have retired from congress voluntarily. He was a useful and an influential member, but, like Alexander the Great, he sighed for other worlds to conquer. Although the governorship of Missouri is a high honor, worthy of the most ambitious of men, nevertheless Dockery's habits, formed early in life, of objecting to republican schemes of legislation are difficult to overcome.

Why the Sugar Was Light.

Mrs. Youngwife—You are sure there are five pounds of sugar in this package? It seems very light.

Grocer—That, madam, is because it is entirely free from sand. — Boston Transcript.

Making It Real.

Granny—Why, children, what is all this terrible noise about?

Jamie—Oh, granny, we've got Uncle Harry locked in the cupboard, an' when he gets a little angrier I'm going to play going into the lions' den!—N. Y. World.

Mistaken.

Old Friend—To tell you the truth, George, this house you're in now is no great shakes.

George (grimly)—Wait till you've slept in it through a storm.—N. Y. Weekly.

No Excuse.

"I did the best I could for you," said the attorney; "but we lost the case, nevertheless."

"Oh! you needn't make any excuses," replied his client. "Ignorance of the law excuses no one."—Puck.

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"The Negro in the West as a Factor in Race Development" was the very interesting subject discussed by Mr Robert Pelham Jr. of Detroit Mich. before the Congressional Lyceum Sunday afte noon last at Lincoln Memorial Church.

Mr. Pelham's paper was admirably written, and showed that the Negro in the West has unrestricted possibilities provided he possesses that pluck and intelligence which are essential to success. He pictured many phases of Western life and emphasized the necessary qualifications of those who contemplated makng their future homes in that section of the country. The Negro in the West who showed a determination to succeed would receive every consideration shown him, but if he be worthless he would experience the difficulties as elsewhere. The essayist observed that the West was anxious to develop its varied and inexhaustible resources, and it was not at all particular with respect to the complexion of the person if he brings the necessary qualfication. He named a number of colored men employed in responsible positions and cited the fact that the only colored county attorney in the United States was elected by over 1,800 votes in Kansas in a county where there are less than 200 colored persons. During his discussion Mr. Pelham often referred to the maps of Cass County Mich and the surrounding county which he prepared with great care. The large audience highly congratulated Mr. Pelham and voted him thanks for his very instructive paper.

Tho paper was discussed by Attorneys, R. S. Smith, E. M. Hewlett, J. M. Ricks, Prof. J. D. Baltimore, Dr. Geo. H. Richardson and Miss Ida Gibbs. The musical selections by the Philharmonie Musical Club, Prof. T. L. Furby, director and a piano solo by Miss Blanche Coleman were admirably rendered, and they too were given a hearty vote of thanks.

Tomorrow afternoon Prof J. Thomas Butler, the well known elocutionist will discuss, "The Negro Woman and her influence upon the political, social and economic advancement of the Race.

MR. DANIEL MURRAY.
(See First Page.)

Special Notice.

The members of the Central organization of the W Calvin Chase Republican Club are requested to meet Wednesday Evening Jany, 16th., at 413 New Jersey Ave. n. w. at 7:30 p.m. sharp.

Mrs. Tennie Milton wife of Mr. Samuel Milton was taken seriously, ill this week. She is out of danger and is now fast improving.

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Mrs. H. W. Hewlett of West Washington is recovering from her illness.

Turn About Is Fair Play.

Bramble—What made you introduce me to that man Grafter? He is continually borrowing money from me.

Thorne—Well, he had been sponging on me so long that I thought I deserved a rest.—N. Y. Journal.

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